Fairmont, Central City, & Loup City, Nebraska need a Weather Observer.

Co-operative Weather Observers are being sought by the National Weather Service for **Fairmont, Central City & Loup City** to record daily High/Low temperatures and measure precipitation.

This is an excellent opportunity for anyone who is interested in weather and has a desire to observe and report weather conditions. We will provide the equipment and training necessary and remain available for guidance while you are in the program.

Duties of the observer will be to make **daily reports** of 24 hour **precipitation**, including **snowfall** and **snow depth**. The observer will also report the daily high/low temperatures. The temperature display has a 30 day memory so it is possible for you to be on vacation yet still report your temperatures once you return. Reports are made between 6 AM and 9 AM each morning.

Observing is simple and so is reporting your observation via a program accessed through the internet. All you need to get started is the interest, a PC, and internet access, we supply everything else. If you do not have a computer, another way to report your observation is through a menu driven phone system.

Fairmont, Central City & Loup City have a long and proud history as part of our nation's climate database. The weather data for both stations dates back to the late 1800s. Now is your opportunity to be the "official" weather reporter and contribute to your community and our nation's weather history.

Interested? Please contact:

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